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Applicants: KOBAYASHI, et al.

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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING DATABASE HAVING
A CAPABILITY OF PASSING DATA, AND MEDIUM RELEVANT
THERE TO

Art Unit: 2764

Examiner: D. Le

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

January 14, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 13, 2001, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 6 and 8 as follows:

B^c SUB 247
6. (Twice Amended) A database processing system used in a database system
having a client-server arrangement for treating a massive amount of data, comprising: